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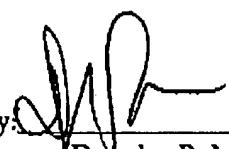
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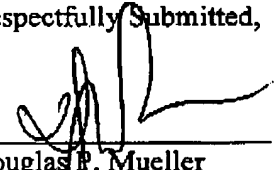
Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2005 and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on June 21, 2005, beginning on page 2 is a complete listing of the claims as included in the Amendment filed on June 17, 2005. Favorable reconsideration in the form of a notice of allowance is requested. Any questions regarding this communication can be directed to the undersigned attorney, Douglas P. Mueller, Reg. No. 30,300, at (612)455-3804.

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